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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

16591 U.S. PTO
10/784678

Re: Application of Yoshitake FUKAYA, Hiroshi YOSHIDA and Masahiro KATOH
COATED REFRACTORY METAL PLATE HAVING OXIDE SURFACE
LAYER, AND SETTER WHICH USES THE SAME AND WHICH IS USED IN
SINTERING
Assignee: A.L.M.T. CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q80089

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty six (36) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, seven (7) sheets of drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>36</u>	-	20	=	<u>16</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$288.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>3</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$1058.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$1098.00</u>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1058.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

JAPAN

2003-047980

February 25, 2003

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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